PATENT COOPERATION TREATY

From the INTERNATIONAL SEARCHING AUTHORITY To: PCT GOETZ, Robert A. CASIMIR JONES S.C. 440 Science Drive Madison Wisconsin NOTIFICATION OF TRANSMITTAL OF 58711 USA THE INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT AND THE WRITTEN OPINION OF THE INTERNATIONAL SEARCHING AUTHORITY, OR THE DECLARATION RECEIVED APR 03 2009 (PCT Rule 44.1) -2 2009 Date of mailing (day/month/year) 27 MARCH 2009 (27.03.2009) Applicant's or agent's file reference CASIMIR JONES, S.C. FOR FURTHER ACTION See paragraphs 1 and 4 below UM-14199/WO1 International application No. International filing date (day/month/year) PCT/US2008/076021 11 SEPTEMBER 2008 (11.09.2008) Applicant THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN et al The applicant is hereby notified that the international search report and the written opinion of the International Searching Authority have been established and are transmitted herewith. Filing of amendments and statement under Article 19: The applicant is entitled, if he so wishes, to amend the claims of the international application (see Rule 46): When? The time limit for filing such amendments is normally two months from the date of transmittal of the international search report. Where? Directly to the International Bureau of WIPO, 34 chemin des Colombettes 1211 Geneva 20, Switzerland, Facsimile No.: +41 22 338 82 70 For more detailed instructions, see the notes on the accompanying sheet. The applicant is hereby notified that no international search report will be established and that the declaration under Article 17(2)(a) to that effect and the written opinion of the International Searching Authority are transmitted herewith. With regard to the protest against payment of (an) additional fee(s) under Rule 40.2, the applicant is notified that: the protest together with the decision thereon has been transmitted to the International Bureau together with the applicant's request to forward the texts of both the protest and the decision thereon to the designated Offices. no decision has been made yet on the protest; the applicant will be notified as soon as a decision is made. 4. Reminders Shortly after the expiration of 18 months from the priority date, the international application will be published by the International Bureau. If the applicant wishes to avoid or postpone publication, a notice of withdrawal of the international application, or of the priority claim, must reach the International Bureau as provided in Rules 90bis.1 and 90bis.3, respectively, before the completion of the technical preparations for international publication. The applicant may submit comments on an informal basis on the written opinion of the International Searching Authority to the International Bureau. The International Bureau will send a copy of such comments to all designated Offices unless an international preliminary examination report has been or is to be established. These comments would also be made available to the public but not before the expiration of 30 months from the priority date. Within 19 months from the priority date, but only in respect of some designated Offices, a demand for international preliminary examination must be filed if the applicant wishes to postpone the entry into the national phase until 30 months from the priority date (in some Offices even later); otherwise, the applicant must, within 20 months from the priority date, perform the prescribed acts for entry into the national phase before those designated Offices. In respect of other designated Offices, the time limit of 30 months (or later) will apply even if no demand is filed within 19 months. See the Annex to Form PCT/IB/301 and, for details about the applicable time limits, Office by Office, see the PCT Applicant's Guide, Volume II, National Chapters and the WIPO Internet site. Name and mailing address of the ISA/KR Authorized officer Korean Intellectual Property Office

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NOTES TO FORM PCT/ISA/220

These Notes are intended to give the basic instructions concerning the filing of amendments under Article 19. The Notes are based on the requirements of the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the Regulations and the Administrative Instructions under that Treaty. In case of discrepancy between these Notes and those requirements, the latter are applicable. For more detailed information, see also the *PCT Applicant's Guide*, a publication of WIPO.

In these Notes, "Article", "Rule" and "Section" refer to the provisions of the PCT, the PCT Regulations and the PCT Administrative Instructions, respectively.

INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING AMENDMENTS UNDER ARTICLE 19

The applicant has, after having received the international search report and the written opinion of the International Searching Authority, one opportunity to amend the claims of the international application. It should however be emphasized that, since all parts of the international application (claims, description and drawings) may be amended during the international preliminary examination procedure, there is usually no need to file amendments of the claims under Article 19 except where, e.g. the applicant wants the latter to be published for the purposes of provisional protection or has another reason for amending the claims before international publication. Furthermore, it should be emphasized that provisional protection is available in some States only (see *PCT Applicant's Guide*, Volume I/A, Annexes B1 and B2).

The attention of the applicant is drawn to the fact that ammendments to the claims under Article 19 are not allowed where the International Searching Authority has declared, under Article 17(2), that no international search report would be established (see *PCT Applicant's Guide*, Volume I/A, paragraph 296).

What parts of the international application may be amended?

Under Article 19, only the claims may be amended.

During the international phase, the claims may also be amended (or further amended) under Article 34 before the International Preliminary Examining Authority. The description and drawings may only be amended under Article 34 before the International Preliminary Examining Authority.

Upon entry into the national phase, all parts of the international application may be amended under Article 28 or, where applicable, Article 41.

When? Within 2 months from the date of transmittal of the international search report or 16 months from the priority date, whichever time limit expires later. It should be noted, however, that the amendments will be considered as having been received on time if they are received by the International Bureau after the expiration of the applicable time limit but before the completion of the technical preparations for international publication (Rule 46.1).

Where not to file the amendments?

The amendments may only be filed with the International Bureau and not with the receiving Office or the International Searching Authority (Rule 46.2).

Where a demand for international preliminary examination has been/is filed, see below.

How? Either by cancelling one or more entire claims, by adding one or more new claims or by amending the text of one or more of the claims as filed.

A replacement sheet must be submitted for each sheet of the claims which, on account of an amendment or amendments, differs from the sheet originally filed.

All the claims appearing on a replacement sheet must be numbered in Arabic numerals. Where a claim is cancelled, no renumbering of the other claims is required. In all cases where claims are renumbered, they must be renumbered consecutively (Section 205(b)).

The amendments must be made in the language in which the international application is to be published.

What documents must/may accompany the amendments?

Letter (Section 205(b)):

The amendments must be submitted with a letter.

The letter will not be published with the international application and the amended claims. It should not be confused with the "Statement under Article 19(1)" (see below, under "Statement under Article 19(1)").

The letter must be in English or French, at the choice of the applicant. However, if the language of the international application is English, the letter must be in English; if the language of the international application is French, the letter must be in French.

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The letter must indicate the differences between the claims as filed and the claims as amended. It must, in particular, indicate, in connection with each claim appearing in the international application (it being understood that identical indications concerning several claims may be grouped), whether

- (i) the claim is unchanged;
- (ii) the claim is cancelled;
- (iii) the claim is new;
- (iv) the claim replaces one or more claims as filed;
- (v) the claim is the result of the division of a claim as filed.

The following examples illustrate the manner in which amendments must be explained in the accompanying letter:

- 1. [Where originally there were 48 claims and after amendment of some claims there are 51]:
 "Claims 1 to 29, 31, 32, 34, 35, 37 to 48 replaced by amended claims bearing the same numbers; claims 30, 33 and 36 unchanged; new claims 49 to 51 added."
- [Where originally there were 15 claims and after amendment of all claims there are 11]: "Claims 1 to 15 replaced by amended claims 1 to 11."
- [Where originally there were 14 claims and the amendments consist in cancelling some claims and in adding new claims]:
 - "Claims 1 to 6 and 14 unchanged; claims 7 to 13 cancelled; new claims 15, 16 and 17 added." or "Claims 7 to 13 cancelled; new claims 15, 16 and 17 added; all other claims unchanged."
- 4. [Where various kinds of amendments are made]:
 - "Claims 1 10 unchanged; claims 11 to 13, 18 and 19 cancelled; claims 14, 15 and 16 replaced by amended claim 14; claim 17 subdivided into amended claims 15, 16 and 17; new claims 20 and 21 added."

"Statement under Article 19(1)" (Rule 46.4)

The amendments may be accompanied by a statement explaining the amendments and indicating any impact that such amendments might have on the description and the drawings (which cannot be amended under Article 19(1)).

The statement will be published with the international application and the amended claims.

It must be in the language in which the international application is to be published.

It must be brief, not exceeding 500 words if in English or if translated into English.

It should not be confused with and does not replace the letter indicating the differences between the claims as filed and as amended. It must be filed on a separate sheet and must be indentified as such by a heading, preferably by using the words "Statement under Article 19(1)."

It may not contain any disparaging comments on the international search report or the relevance of citations contained in that report. Reference to citations, relevant to a given claim, contained in the international search report may be made only in connection with an amendment of that claim.

Consequence if a demand for international preliminary examination has already been filed

If, at the time of filing any amendments and any accompanying statement, under Article 19, a demand for international preliminary examination has already been submitted, the applicant must preferably, at the time of filing the amendments (and any statement) with the International Bureau, also file with the International Preliminary Examining Authority a copy of such amendments (and of any statement) and, where required, a translation of such amendments for the proceduer before that Authority (see Rules 55.3(a) and 62.2, first sentence). For further information, see the Notes to the demand form (PCT/IPEA/401).

If a demand for international preliminary examination is made, the written opinion of the International Searching Authority will, except in certain cases where the International Preliminary Examining Authority did not act as International Searching Authority and where it has notified the International Bureau under Rule 66.1bis(b), be considered to be a written opinion of the International Preliminary Examining Authority. If a demand is made, the applicant may submit to the International Preliminary Examining Authority a reply to the written opinion together, where appropriate, with amendments before the expiration of 3 months from the date of mailing of Form PCT/ISA/220 or before the expiration of 22 months from the priority date, whichever expires later (Rule 43bis.1(c)).

Consequence with regard to translation of the international application for entry into the national phase

The applicant's attention is drawn to the fact that, upon entry into the national phase, a translation of the claims as amended under Article 19 may have to be furnished to the designated/elected Offices, instead of, or in addition to, the translation of the claims as filed.

For further details on the requirements of each designated/elected Office, see the *PCT Applicant's Guide*, Volume II.

* Attention Copies of the documents cited in the international search report can be searched in the following Korean Intellectual Property Office English website for three months from the date of mailing of the international search report. http://www.kipo.go.kr/kpo/eng/ => Patent Search => PCT-Service ID : PCT international application number PW: NJOTO97O

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1. This opinion contains indications rela	ting to the following item	is:	
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Box No. VI Certain documen			
Box No. VII Certain defects	in the international applic	cation	
Box No. VIII Certain observat	==		
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Box No. I Basis of this opinion
1. With regard to the language, this opinion has been established on the basis of:
the international application in the language in which it was filed
a translation of the international application into, which is the language of a translation furnished for the purposes of international search (Rules 12.3(a) and 23.1(b))
2. This opinion has been established taking into account the rectification of an obvious mistake authorized by or notified to this Authority under Rule 91 (Rule 43bis.1(a))
3. With regard to any nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosed in the international application, this opinion has been established on the basis of:
a. type of material
a sequence listing
table(s) related to the sequence listing
b. format of material
on paper
in electronic form
c. time of filing/furnishing
contained in the international application as filed.
filed together with the international application in electronic form.
furnished subsequently to this Authority for the purposes of search.
4. In addition, in the case that more than one version or copy of a sequence listing and/or table relating thereto has been
filed or furnished, the required statements that the information in the subsequent or additional copies is identical to that
in the application as filed or does not go beyond the application as filed, as appropriate, were furnished.
5. Additional comments:

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Box	No. III Non-establishment of opinion with regard to novelty, inventive step and industrial applicability	
The indus	questions whether the claimed invention appears to be novel, to involve an inventive step (to be non obvious), or to be strially applicable have not been examined in respect of:	_
	the entire international application	
X	claims Nos. 13-32	
be	the said international application, or the said claims Nos	
	the description, claims or drawings (indicate particular elements below) or said claims Nosare so unclear that no meaningful opinion could be formed (specify):	
	the claims, or said claims Nos are so inadequately supported by the description that no meaningful opinion could be formed (specify):	
	no international search report has been established for said claims Nos. a meaningful opinion could not be formed without the sequence listing; the applicant did not, within the prescribed time limit:	
	furnish a sequence listing on paper complying with the standard provided for in Annex C of the Administrative Istructions, and such listing was not available to the International Searching Authority in a form and manner acceptable to it.	
	furnish a sequence listing in electronic form complying with the standard provided for in Annex C of the Administrative Istructions, and such listing was not available to the International Searching Authority in a form and manner acceptable to it.	
	pay the required late furnishing fee for the furnishing of a sequence listing in response to an invitation under Rule 13ter.1(a) or (b).	
	a meaningful opinion could not be formed without the tables related to the sequence listings; the applicant did not, within the prescribed time limit, furnish such tables in electronic form complying with the technical requirements provided for in Annex C-bis of the Administrative Instructions, and such tables were not available to the International Searching Authority in a form and manner acceptable to it.	
	the tables related to the nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence listing, if in electronic form only, do not comply with the technical requirements provided for in Annex C-bis of the Administrative Instructions.	
	See Supplemental Box for further details.	

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Box No. V Reasoned statement under Rule 43bis.1(a)(i) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement

Novelty (N)	Claims	1-12, 33-46	YES
	Claims	NONE	NO
Inventive step (IS)	Claims	NONE	YES
	Claims	1-12, 33-46	NO
Industrial applicability (IA)	Claims	1-12, 33-46	YES
	Claims	NONE	NO

2. Citations and explanations:

Reference is made in the present opinion to the following documents cited in the search report:

D1: Bioorganic & Medicinal Chemistry Letters, 2005, 15(11), pp. 2749-2751

D2: Bioorganic & Medicinal Chemistry Letters, 2004, 14(4), pp. 1027-1030

D3: WO 2003/050261 A2(19 June 2003)

1. Novelty and Inventive Step

1.1 Novelty

Claims 1-12 & 33-46 of the present invention relate to a compound represented by Formula I, a pharmaceutical composition thereof, a method of inhibiting an(mitochondrial) F_1F_0 -ATPase comprising the same, and a method for identifying an(mitochondrial) F_1F_0 -ATPase inhibiting agent comprising 4-6 steps.

D1 discloses N-[[(40chlorophenyl)amino[[(1R)-1-(2,4-dichlorophenyl)-2-(1H-imidazol-1-yl)ethyl]imino]methyl]-3-cynobenzamide(6à,N-[[(40chlorophenyl)amino [[(1S)-1-(2,4-dichlorophenyl)-2-(1H-imidazol-1-yl)ethyl]imino]methyl]-3-cynobenzamide(6b) and a pharmaceutical composition for inhibition of mitochondrial F1F0-ATP hydrolase and synthase comprising the same.

D2 discloses compounds 19a-19c and a pharmaceutical composition comprising the same for inhibition of mitochondrial F_1F_0 -ATP hydrolase.

D3 discloses phenylcarbonylguanidine derivatives and a pharmaceutical composition comprising the same useful as inhibitors of mitochondrial F_1F_0 -ATP hydrolase.

The compounds represented by formula I in the present invention differ from those of D1-D3 in the substituent R2 or R3 attached to carbon atom of Formula I.

Therefore, claims 1-12 & 33-46 of the present invention are considered to be novel over D1-D3[PCT Article 33(2)].

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Supplemental Box

In case the space in any of the preceding boxes is not sufficient. Continuation of:

Box V

1.2 Inventive Step

1.2.1 Claims 1-12

The substituent attached to carbon atom of Formula I can be changed easily from aryl to hydrogen or alkyl by a man skilled in the art, and there is no surprising effect reported by changing the substituent. Therefore, the inventive step of claims 1-12 cannot be acknowledged over D1-D3[PCT Article 33(3)].

1.2.2 Claims 33-46

However, the technical features of the method of inhibiting the (mitochondrial) F1F0-ATPase using a compound represented by Formula I and the method for identifying the (mitochondrial) F1F0-ATPase inhibiting agent using the same of claims 33-46 have already been employed for the same purpose in each of D2(see abstract and pages 1027-1029) and D3(see pages 2-4, 27-28 and claims 16-17). They would be obvious to a person skilled in the art, when the same result is to be achieved, to apply these features with corresponding effect to compounds according to D2-D3, thereby arriving at the method of inhibiting the (mitochondrial) F1F0-ATPase and the method for identifying the (mitochondrial) F1F0-ATPase inhibiting agent as in claims 33-46 of this invention. Therefore, the inventive step of claims 33-46 cannot be acknowledged over D2-D3[PCT Article 33(3)].

2. Industrial Applicability

The subject matter of claims 1-12 & 33-46 is considered to be industrially applicable under PCT Article 33(4).

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INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

(PCT Article 18 and Rules 43 and 44)

Applicant's or agent's file reference	FOR FURTHER	7 70770
UM-14199/WO1		see Form PCT/ISA/220 s, where applicable, item 5 below.
International application No.	International filing date (day/month/year)	(Earliest) Priority Date (day/month/year)
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Applicant		
THE REGENTS OF THE UNIV	ERSITY OF MICHIGAN et al	
This International search report has been pre to Article 18. A copy is being transmitted to	pared by this International Searching Authority the International Bureau.	and is transmitted to the applicant according
This international search report consists of a It is also accompanied by a co	total of sheets. opy of each prior art document cited in this repor	t.
 Basis of the report With regard to the language, the in 	ternational search was carried out on the basis of	of:
the international applicat	ion in the language in which it was filed	•
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b. This international search report authorized by or notified to this	has been established taking into account the rec Authority under Rule 91 (Rule 43.6bis(a)).	tification of an obvious mistake
c. With regard to any nucleotide	and/or amino acid sequence disclosed in the int	ernational application, see Box No. I.
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With regard to the title,	·	
the text is approved as submitte	d by the applicant	
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the text is approved as submitted		
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may, within one month from the	date of mailing of this international search repor	t, submit comments to this Authority.
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	, because the applicant failed to suggest a figure	
	, because this figure better characterizes the inve	ention.
b. none of the figure is to be publish	ned with the abstract.	

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Box No. II Observations where certain claims were found unsearchable (Continuation of item 2 of first sheet)
This international search report has not been established in respect of certain claims under Article 17(2)(a) for the following reasons:
1. Claims Nos.: 13-32 because they relate to subject matter not required to be searched by this Authority, namely: Claims 13-32 pertain to methods for treatment of the human or animal body by therapy, and thus relate to a subject matter which this international Searching Authority is not required, under Article 17(2)(a)(i) of the PCT and Rule 39.1(iv) of the Regulations under the PCT, to search.
2. Claims Nos.: because they relate to parts of the international application that do not comply with the prescribed requirements to such an extent that no meaningful international search can be carried out, specifically:
3. Claims Nos.: because they are dependent claims and are not drafted in accordance with the second and third sentences of Rule 6.4(a).
Box No. III Observations where unity of invention is lacking (Continuation of item 3 of first sheet)
This International Searching Authority found multiple inventions in this international application, as follows:
1. As all required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant, this international search report covers all searchable claims.
2. As all searchable claims could be searched without effort justifying an additional fee, this Authority did not invite payment of any additional fee.
3. As only some of the required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant, this international search report covers only those claims for which fees were paid, specifically claims Nos.:
4. No required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant. Consequently, this international search report is restricted to the invention first mentioned in the claims; it is covered by claims Nos.:
Remark on Protest The additional search fees were accompanied by the applicant's protest and, where applicable, the payment of a protest fee. The additional search fees were accompanied by the applicant's protest but the applicable protest fee was not paid within the time limit specified in the invitation. No protest accompanied the payment of additional search fees.

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A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

C07C 279/04(2006.01)i, C07C 233/02(2006.01)i

According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC

B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols) IPC 8 C07C, A61K

Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used) e-KIPASS, PAJ

C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
Х	BISAHA, S. N. et al., A switch in enantiomer preference between mitochondrial F1F0-ATPase chemotypes, Bioorganic & Medicinal Chemistry Letters, 2005, 15(11), pp. 2749-2751, ISSN: 0960-894X Sce abstract; compounds 6a, 6b; table 1	1-12
x	ATWAL, K. S. et al., N-[1-Aryl-2-(1-imidazolo)ethyl]-guanidine derivatives as potent inhibitors of the bovine mitochondrial F1F0 ATP hydrolase, Bioorganic & Medicinal Chemistry Letters, 2004, 14(4), pp. 1027-1030, ISSN: 0960-894X See abstract; compounds 19a-c; scheme 3; table 1	1-12, 33-46
x	WO 2003/050261 A2(ATWAL, K. S. ET AL.) 19 June 2003 See abstract; formula (Ic), (Ie), (If); scheme III-V; examples 191-198, 200-203, 205, 206, 209213, 215, 216, 218, 223, 226, 228-231, 234, 237-241, 243, 244, 246, 247, 251-253, 257, 258, 268, 269, 271, 273, 282, 283, 303, 304, 306, 387 & 388; claims 1-22	1-12, 33-46

	Further documents are listed in the continuation of Box C.
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See patent family annex.

- Special categories of cited documents:
- "A" document defining the general state of the art which is not considered to be of particular relevance
- "E" earlier application or patent but published on or after the international
- "L" document which may throw doubts on priority claim(s) or which is cited to establish the publication date of citation or other special reason (as specified)
- "O" document referring to an oral disclosure, use, exhibition or other
- "P" document published prior to the international filing date but later than the priority date claimed
- "T" later document published after the international filing date or priority date and not in conflict with the application but cited to understand the principle or theory underlying the invention
- "X" document of particular relevance; the claimed invention cannot be considered novel or cannot be considered to involve an inventive step when the document is taken alone
- "Y" document of particular relevance; the claimed invention cannot be considered to involve an inventive step when the document is combined with one or more other such documents, such combination being obvious to a person skilled in the art
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WO 2003/050261 A2	19.06.2003	AU 2002-357137 A1	23.06.2003
		AU 2002-357137 A8	23.06.2003
		AU 2002-357137 A1	23.06.2003
		EP 1450901 A2	01.09.2004
		EP 1450901 A4	25.05.2005
		US 6916813 B2	12.07.2005
		WO 0305-0261A3	26.02.2004